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Dear Mountain Ridge Parents and Guardians,

There is some information that we feel is important to share with you to maintain transparent communication as we work together to ensure a safe and secure school community.

The Deer Valley Unified School District was notified by the Tempe Police Department that MRHS teacher Vincent Ciliberti has been arrested. He has worked and coached football at MRHS for one and a half years. Pending further information, Mountain Ridge Administration and DVUSD Human Resources staff will ensure that all teaching and coaching duties are covered by properly certified staff.

The Police investigation is ongoing, and we are cooperating fully with investigators. DVUSD Human Resources is following all legal procedures during this investigation. This staff member passed all of the required background checks during the hiring process including the fingerprint clearance check. We do not have any additional information at this time.

If you have any information that would be important for police to know, please contact the Tempe Police Department directly. If we learn of information that will further impact our school or your student's education, we will send out another letter.

Sincerely, Mountain Ridge Administration

**SUPERINTENDENT**Curtis Finch, PhD

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